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## SIX ARRESTED AND ARE JAILED

City Marshal Price Rounds up  
Sextette of Suspects by  
his Lonely

## JOHNSON HOME ROBBED

Money and Jewerly Taken  
Farm Hand now Suspicioned  
and Hoboes are Released

The people on the down-town streets were treated to an unusual sight this morning when City Marshal Price came down the street with six men under arrest, all of them cowed to the extent of peacefully walking along with him, and lined up as so many Chinese in front of an officer on their way to jail.

Yesterday the home of Lafayette Johnson, west of this city, was robbed and two gold watches and forty-five dollars in money was taken. Johnson's son was of the opinion that the place had been robbed by tramps seen in that vicinity. And in corroboration of this belief the officials were notified today that a stranger was seen offering a watch for sale in the west part of the city. On learning of this the city marshal hurried to the various railroad yards and was paid for his efforts when he came upon six hoboes at the C. H. & D. freight depot in the act of getting aboard an east bound freight train. He called for them to "come ashore," and seeing the officer meant business and was big enough to back up the "big words" he was delivering, they did as he commanded. The six men were taken to jail and searched. Nothing of any consequence was found upon their persons.

Later it developed that the finger of suspicion was pointing straight at a hired hand, who until yesterday was in the employ of Johnson. It is said that he has mysteriously disappeared and along with him went the money and jewelry, for he knew where it was kept about the house. It is said that he left on the traction line late Sunday evening, getting on at stop 24 near the Johnson farm. The man had been employed on the farm but a few weeks and was a stranger in this community. The six transients were released and given "tie passes" out of the city.

## OLD ACCOUNTS ARE GIVEN ATTENTION

Local Merchants Already Appreciate Value of Black List  
to be Compiled

Collections of old accounts among the business men of Rushville have been exceedingly good within the past few days.

The Business Men's Protective Association will positively compile a "dead beat black list," and all chronic debtors will find it a difficult matter to secure credit in the future, if their names appear on the list, for virtually every business man in the city has joined the association.

Quite a few are arranging to pay their old bills by weekly installments, for as long as they show the proper spirit, their names will be omitted. But two or three weeks remain to square old accounts.

## COUNTRY SCHOOL HAS THE SEVEN-YEAR ITCH

A country school near the Rush-Decatur county line, is infested with an affliction which closely resembles the "Seven-year Itch," and the county Board of Health is investigating.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT WAS CALLED AT AN EARLY HOUR

Small Blaze Started at Houser's  
Bakery—But Little Damage  
Done

The fire department was called out this morning at 5:30 o'clock to the shed in the rear of Houser's bakery, in which had started a small blaze.

The fire originated by the blaze in the oven creeping out through a crack in the brick wall, which ignited the woodwork around the oven.

The department stretched their line of hose, but it was not needed as the fire was soon extinguished by the use of buckets.

## YOUNG MAN ILL TAKEN TO JAIL

New England Boy Far From  
Home Tells a Pitable  
Story

## WAS ALMOST EXHAUSTED

Said he Would Rather Starve  
Than Beg Bread to  
Eat

Half starved and in feeble condition, Officer Wm. Pea found a young man at the water and light plant Sunday night, who gave his name as John Rice and his home as Warwick, Rhode Island.

The young man told a pitiable story of his past. He said he had left home about six years ago; a home wherein were all the luxuries of life, to see the unfriendly world, and life had been everything but pleasant since.

The unfortunate man says that he was out of work and money and his timidity would not permit him to beg bread even if he starved.

He came to this city from Ft. Wayne in the hopes that he might find work and his exposure has been the cause of him contracting a severe cold which threatens to terminate in pneumonia. Rice was taken to the county jail and Dr. Wooden was called to attend him. It may be several days before he is able to be out. He says his people are well-to-do New Englanders.

## GAFFEY'S "GAFF" THROWN INTO 'EM

Fine Appearing Young Man Said  
to be a Swindler—Was Square  
Here

Reports from various parts of the State come to the effect that F. L. Gaffey, who recently compiled a business men's directory and Catholic church calendar in this city, has been "doing" Indiana in great style. By a good appearance and gentlemanly conduct and speech he soon wins the confidence of the people of a community and leaves them wiser in the world's experience and poorer in purse. Rev. E. J. Spellman, of New Castle, sent out a letter of warning last week, saying he did not wish others to be taken in as they believed they were in that city.

## THE WEATHER

Increasing cloudiness with probably snow in north portion tonight or Tuesday; rising temperature.

## THOUGHT IT BE ANOTHER FAKE

Letter Received by Local  
Firm was Written in  
Spanish Hand

## WAS ON FILE SOME TIME

When a Young Daniel was Called  
to Interpret it—Found to  
be an Order

"What's this?" said one of the officials in the Madden & Co., foundry office a few days ago upon opening a letter written in a Spanish hand. "Surely they are not trying to gold brick us because we are in the brick machine manufacturing business and hand us one of those Spanish heiress stories like Ira Ayres got."

No one around the works could make heads or tails of the missive for it looked like so many chicken tracks to them. Several days it remained on file. Finally they hit upon the idea of having it translated.

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## JURIES DRAWN FOR FEBRUARY TERM

Grand and Petit Juries Drawn  
by Jury Commissioners  
Today

The following petit jury was drawn today for the February term of court: D. O. Buell, Rushville township; John Ricketts, Noble; John H. Brown, Walker; Samuel Houston, Posey; W. H. Cherry, Rushville; E. O. George, Richland; John A. Innis, Walker; Wilbur C. Brown, Orange; John N. McCoy, Orange; Charles M. Grinnell, Richland; Ed. Dolan, Union; John P. Downey, Posey.

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## AGED HUSBAND SUES FOR DIVORCE

John W. Larimore Charges Wife  
with Abandonment—Lived  
Apart for Years

John W. Larimore has instituted divorce proceedings in the circuit court against his wife, Belle Larimore. He charges abandonment. They have been separated for about ten years. Mrs. Larimore has been living with her father, Jack Kennedy, during these years. She was Larimore's second wife. Both are elderly people.

## WATSON'S PATER WILL CAST VOTES

Randolph County Republicans Instruct Delegations to  
Support Watson

## WAS PRESENT AND SPOKE

Was Hailed by Former Townsmen as "The Logical Leader of the Republican Forces"

Enos L. Watson, father of Congressman James E. Watson, says a dispatch from Winsorchester to the Indianapolis Star, will cast the vote of Randolph county Republicans for his son, when the State convention meets to name a candidate for Governor. Congressman Watson was hailed as the "logical leader of the Republican forces of Indiana" in the coming campaign.

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The portion of the resolution indorsing Mr. Watson read:

We have watched with interest and pride the public career of the Hon. James E. Watson, a former citizen of Randolph county, and whose name will be presented to the Republican State convention as a candidate for Governor of Indiana. As boy and man we have known and held him in high esteem. We believe that his splendid record in Congress, his many qualities of leadership and his great ability as a campaigner make him the logical leader of the Republican forces of Indiana in the coming campaign.

We earnestly commend him to the Republicans throughout the State and hereby instruct the delegates to the State convention this day elected to cast their votes for Mr. Watson and use all honorable means to procure his nomination.

Enos L. Watson, father of the statesman from Rushville, will have the unique distinction of casting the Randolph county vote for his son. The congressman's father is 77 years of age and was a delegate to the first Republican State convention in 1856. He was also a delegate in 1860 and was a member of the first legislature that elected Oliver P. Morton to the United States Senate.

Congressman Watson was born in this county and lived here until after he became a voter. He was present during the convention and was called on for a speech. He thanked the convention and his former neighbors for the honor of having the delegates instructed in his behalf. He dwelt at length on the history of the Republican party in Randolph county. He expressed regret that many of the old-time famous leaders have passed away, but he said that he was pleased that the present generation is inspired by the spirit that they had manifested.

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## EXCELLENT TALENT IN THE LADIES MUSICALE

One of Best Programs of the  
Season Rendered this  
Afternoon

The Ladies Musicale which was held at the assembly room this afternoon, was one of the best programs of the season.

Many excellent numbers were rendered and enjoyed by all present. It is doubtful if there is better talent in the State than in the Ladies Musicale of this city. It is always spoken of in the highest terms by visiting members from other cities.

## BROTHER MET VIOLENT DEATH

Rushville Man Receives Word  
of Untimely End of Brother  
in Cincinnati

## FELL FROM A HIGH LADDER

Joshua Allen, Employed with the  
Union Gas and Electric Com-  
pany, Fractured Skull

Washington Allen, a jeweler of this city, was called to Cincinnati today on account of the death of his brother, who was killed by a fall from a ladder yesterday afternoon. The Cincinnati Enquirer has the following story of the accident today:

"Indirectly the break in the big water main yesterday morning was responsible for the violent death of Joshua Allen, aged 45, a meter setter in the employ of the Union Gas and Electric company, who lived at Wade and John streets. Had not the accident occurred Allen would have remained at his home with his family.

He was, however, sent on an emergency call with a number of other employees of the company to remove meters in the houses on Garland place, which had been damaged by the water. While the men were engaged in removing the meters Superintendent Miller was informed of trouble in another part of the city, and Allen and Edwin Sinclair of 630 Dudley street, were dispatched on this work. It was found necessary to secure a twenty-foot ladder and the two men were sent to the West End Car Works to procure one.

"The ladder was on the second story and Allen went up to get it, while Sinclair remained outside to receive it. Allen handed it through the window to Sinclair. As soon as Sinclair had it, he shouted up to Allen: 'I've got it, leave go.'

"Allen evidently did not hear, however, for he held onto the ladder. In dropping, the weight of the big ladder carried Allen out of the window with it. He fell to the ground, receiving fractures of the base and vortex of the skull. He was hurried to the City Hospital in Patrol 1, but died a few minutes after his arrival there. His body was removed to the morgue.

"Allen was in the employ of the gas company for over twenty-five years and has a son employed in the same capacity as he."

AGED GARDENER DYING  
IN FAR AWAY SANTA CRUZ

Nathan Horr received word this morning that his mother, Mrs. Nancy Horr, who lives at Santa Cruz, Cal., was not expected to live. Mrs. Horr formerly lived in this city and was well known here, having conducted a garden truck farm in the east end of the city for years.

Mrs. J. Q. Thomas, of Brookside, who has been ill for quite a while, continues to improve.

## LADY WIZARD OF THE GAS FIELDS

Is What an Expert has Styled  
Mrs. Dora Hilligoss, East  
of Here

## ADVANCES A NEW THEORY

For Locating a Good Spot to Drill  
a Gas Well—Other "Gassing"  
Notes

Rush county is signalized in the matter of having a bountiful supply of gas. In years gone by we were—geographically—on the outer edge of the far famed gas belt of Indiana, but now we are not only in the very heart of Indiana's gas belt, but we are almost the entire heart itself.

The few wells in Rush county that "played out" are being re-shot and in many cases a higher pressure of gas is found than was ever in the wells before.

Farmers throughout the county are having their wells cleaned and re-shot and not a few put down wells with good results during the past year.

One of the wells which was re-shot and proved to be a wonder, according to gas men, was on the farm of Dora Hilligoss, east of this city. A remarkable high pressure was found and it required no little effort to check it.

An expert gas man, and a pioneer in the Indiana fields, says that he has styled Mrs. Dora Hilligoss "the Wizard of the Local Gas Fields" on account of a new and plausible theory she advances for selecting a suitable place to sink a well. She says that the most gas will be found near a spot where a warm breeze is found blowing when all around it is cool, is often experienced when driving through the country.

New State laws are very stringent as to the corking of old and abandoned wells. Some little

## The General Demand

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Rushville.

**PHONE III**  
TWO RINGS

## EVIDENCE SOUGHT

Wayne County Authorities Re-  
vive the Lucy Murder Case  
In Earnest.

### PROBE MURDER STORIES

Prosecutor Declares That Corroboration of Mrs. Du Boise's Story Will Be Eventually Obtained.

Circumstances on Which to Base a Grand Jury Investigation Are Hinted at.

Richmond, Ind., Jan. 27.—Prosecuting Attorney Wilfred Jessup and Sheriff Linus Meredith made a trip to Milton and Connerville in an effort to secure evidence to corroborate the statement made by Mrs. Ralph Du Boise in reference to the murder of Joseph Lucy, the aged recluse who met his death by violent means at his home south of Milton more than two years ago.

Mrs. Du Boise furnished the information on which her nephew, Earl Du Boise, William Philpott and Peter Sturgess, the latter of Hamilton, Ohio, were arrested. It is necessary to have other testimony to the same effect in order to prevail on Judge Henry C. Fox to call a session of the grand jury to investigate the case.

The officials are confident of proving the guilt of the accused men, and it is stated that they have evidence that after the murder of Lucy, Philpott, Du Boise and Sturgess went to Hamilton, where they remained for several days, spending considerable money.

Sturgess is apparently in the depth of despair over his arrest. The man is ghastly pale and extremely nervous. When an officer arrived from Richmond Sturgess willingly consented to come to this city without extradition proceedings. The accused man said he was employed at Connerville at the time of the murder. His family was then residing in Milton. He says that on the night of the murder he and two friends sat up at Connerville most of the night for amusement.

Sturgess has a wife and two children, the oldest being nine. The parting at Hamilton was one of the most pathetic scenes the Richmond officer had ever witnessed. It is said that when Sturgess was arrested he turned the color of marble and the Hamilton authorities thought he was going to die.

### ENCOURAGING TRUANTS

Jury Frees Man Charged With Allowing Son to Remain From School.

Ekhart, Ind., Jan. 27.—Fear exists here that an epidemic of truancy may afflict the public schools as the result of the acquittal of a parent on the charge of permitting his son to be truant. Several families that have objected to compulsory education have awaited the result of the trial and will take advantage of the verdict to resist officers and school authorities.

Upon complaint of Truancy Officer Heffner, Bert Fuller was charged with allowing his eleven-year-old son to remain out of school. Fuller appeared before Justice Brumbaugh and demanded a jury trial. The twelve men brought in a verdict of acquittal. It was shown that Fuller is a poor man, working for small wages.

**Still Cling to Murder Theory.**  
Frankfort, Ind., Jan. 27.—Coroner George W. Brown has rendered a verdict that Mrs. Ella Dukes came to her death by suicide. The two facts that caused the coroner to render the verdict were that she had threatened suicide and there can be found no motive for the murder. He did not attempt to explain away the many things that had been done in connection with the death that appeared almost impossible for Mrs. Dukes to have done. The finding of the verdict by the coroner will in no way lessen the effort of the police to fathom the mystery. Every clue, however small or insignificant, is being worked out by Chief of Police Bird and his men. In spite of the coroner's verdict a large per cent of the people cling to the theory and belief of murder.

**The Graves Brothers Acquitted.**  
Indianapolis, Jan. 27.—Fred and Dave Graves, indicted for murder following a fight in the poolroom of the City Club saloon, in which Herbert Murphy was struck a deadly blow with a billiard cue, have been freed. Murphy died from the injury and the Graves brothers fled. They were arrested after being at liberty over a year. The indictment against David Graves was nolled after all of the evidence had been introduced, leaving only Fred as the defendant, and the jury returned a verdict of acquittal.

**Young Woman Burned to Death.**  
Bloomington, Ind., Jan. 27.—From burns she received by the explosion of a gasoline stove, Alice, the nineteen-year-old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. D. R. Wylie, north of this city, died in agony at the home of her sister, Mrs. Elmer Ferguson of Jasonville. While lighting a gasoline stove there was a sudden explosion, the flames igniting the dress of Miss Wylie. In attempting to quench the blaze Mrs. Ferguson was badly burned, and her recovery is a matter of doubt.

### CONSPIRACY CHARGED

Pennsylvania's Capitol Scandal Gets Its First Airing in Court.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 27.—The first of the thirty-seven criminal suits against former state officers, contractors and others connected with the building and furnishing of the new capitol of Pennsylvania was brought to trial in the Dauphin county court today before Judge Kunkel. The defendants in the suits listed for trial first are Architect Joseph M. Huston and Contractor John Sanderson, Philadelphia; former Auditor General William P. Snyder, Spring City; former State Treasurer William L. Mathews of Media and James M. Shumaker of Johnstown, former superintendent of public grounds and buildings.

The defendants are charged with conspiracy to cheat and defraud the state out of \$135,000 by falsifying the weight and measurements of certain furnishings supplied by Sanderson under his per-foot and per-pound contract with the board of grounds and buildings. The prosecution has selected five cases against these defendants to be tried first.

The suits against Congressman H. Burd Cassel of the Pennsylvania Construction company, who supplied the metallic furniture for the capitol, who is under indictment on charges of conspiracy and false pretense, and the remaining eight defendants in these prosecutions will be tried later. The total cost of the capitol was \$13,000,000, of which \$4,000,000 was expended by the building commission for construction and \$9,000,000 by the board of grounds and buildings for furnishings. Sanderson's contract amounted to \$5,487,899, and his profit in some instances is alleged to have been as much as 4000 per cent. Huston designed the capitol and the furnishings and received in commissions more than \$400,000. Shumaker is accused of having failed to audit the bills of Sanderson and other contractors and with having accepted Huston's certifications that the work was according to specifications. Mathews is alleged to have paid the bills and Sturgess is said to have passed the bills without having been audited in either case.

Many of the furnishings supplied by Sanderson and other contractors will be produced by the commonwealth before the jury and experts will be called to show that they are not up to the specifications and that the prices were excessive and not according to contract. Experts in metallic and wooden furniture, marble and other furnishings will be called as witnesses by each side.

### Chinese Pirates Get Busy.

Shanghai, Jan. 27.—A Japanese launch has been fired upon and robbed by Chinese pirates near Kia Hsing Fu. Troops have been dispatched to the scene of the trouble.

### Reached Port at Last.

St. John N. B., Jan. 27.—After nearly fifty days on the ocean, the 300 immigrants who left Antwerp on Dec. 7 for St. John by the Canadian Pacific steamer Mount Royal to make homes in western Canada and the United States, arrived here Sunday on the Canadian Pacific steamer Montrose. The Mount Royal was buffeted about the Atlantic for a month, given up for lost and finally reached Queenstown. There the passengers were transferred to the steamer Montrose and on Jan. 11 left again for St. John.

### An Unusual Church Service.

Boston, Jan. 27.—True to the promise he made one week ago when Morrison L. Swift and his "army of the unemployed" entered Trinity church and demanded that the rector preach on the duty of the state to the unemployed and take up a collection for the latter, Rev. Alexander Mann made welcome yesterday many of the unemployed and a collection estimated at \$1,000 was taken up for their benefit at the morning service.

### Summoned to Washington.

Havana, Jan. 27.—Governor Magoon, who has been summoned to Washington, sailed from here at 10 o'clock this morning on the revenue cutter Hatuey for Tampa.

**Obstipation with all its manifestations of a disturbed liver and indigestion yields quickly to SANOL. It only costs 35 cents to find out the great curative powers in the Sanol Remedies. Take nothing else from the druggist. Remember it is SANOL you want. 85c n. s. per bottle at the drug store.**

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### Special Notice

D. Gleason and Son were unable to reach this city for Friday and Saturday, January 24th and 25th, but will be here Friday January 31st and Saturday, February 1st at Davis Barn to buy a carload of horses. Jan 14th.

### WOOD FOR SALE

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## NINE YEARS AFTER

No Brighter Page In History  
Than That We Have Written In Philippines.

### THUS SAYS THE PRESIDENT

In Commending Secretary Taft's Report the President Eulogizes Policies of William McKinley.

Ruin Would Have Followed the Adoption of Any Other Policy, Is His Conclusion.

Washington, Jan. 27.—Nine years after the battle of Manila bay, Secretary Taft records the results of the American occupation of the archipelago and forecasts the future of the Filipinos, in an exhaustive report transmitted to congress by the president with a letter written by the chief executive, commanding in the highest terms the secretary's conclusions. The president declares that ruin would have followed the adoption of any other policy toward the Philippines than that outlined by William McKinley and carried forward through these nine years, and asserts triumphantly that there is no brighter page in history than that dealing with the relation between the strong and the weak in those islands. He adds that the Filipinos "have yet a long way to travel before they will be fit for complete self-government."

Secretary Taft's report records his observations on his recent visit to the islands to the extent of nearly eighty printed pages. Generally speaking, the secretary is optimistic in a high degree in treating on this subject, even though he cannot fix a time for declaring the independence of the islands. In answer to the critics who have made "the most astounding and unfair statements in respect to the cost to the United States of the Philippines," he figures out a total annual expenditure of \$5,000,000, and he vigorously denies the failure of the Philippine policy. He says that great changes have occurred in the islands. The people are now anxious to have the American soldiers retained. There is a high standard of administration of justice. Nothing is more popular than the constabulary. There are no questions between the government and the Roman Catholic church, unless the Aglipian schism can be said to be involved. Peace prevails in a greater degree than ever before in the history of the islands. The magnificent Benguet road is now justified by the results obtained.

The secretary is willing to limit the amount of sugar and tobacco that can be exported to the United States. He predicted a development of business within twenty-five years that will make the Filipinos themselves stand high in the world's industrial populations. His recommendations are that Philippine products be admitted into the United States free of duty under reasonable limitations; that present restrictions be removed on the acquisition of mining properties; that the Philippine government be authorized to conduct an agricultural bank, and finally that the islands be exempted from the operations of the coastwise shipping laws.

### Fewer Grand-Stand Plays.

New York, Jan. 27.—The Thaw trial today entered on its fourth and probably its last week. The dispatch with which the present trial has moved compared with the one a year ago, which stretched over a period of twelve weeks, is little short of remarkable. The defense has another day of evidence to offer, and the state should have its rebuttal evidence before the jury by Thursday night.

### The I. C. Will Test It.

Marion, Ill., Jan. 27.—The Illinois Central Railroad company has entered suit against the town of Herrin, this county for \$700,000 on the grounds of interfering with traffic. A Herrin police magistrate recently assessed a fine against the railroad company for shipping into the place beer and whisky after the territory had become anti-saloon.

### Their Scare Is Over.

Rome, Jan. 27.—The return to Italy of emigrants from the United States is gradually stopping, while emigration to that country is being resumed. Steamers leaving Genoa and Naples before the end of the month will take back to America at least 5,000 emigrants.

### Novel Gift to the Pope.

Rome, Jan. 27.—It is announced that Rev. Father Maria Bernado of the Capuchin order, who was sent by the pope in July last to Addis Ababa with a decoration for King Menelik, is returning here with an autograph letter from Menelik and two lions as a present for the pontiff.

## Daily Markets

The following are the ruling prices in the Rushville market corrected to date January 27 1908

### GRAIN

Wheat .....	94
Oats, per bushel .....	40
Ground Dry Corn, per bu .....	45
Timothy seed, per bushel .....	200
Clover seed, per bushel .....	8.00 to 10.00
Straw Baled .....	5.00
Buying price at farm, for clover, timothy or mixed, either baled or loose according to quality	\$10.00

### CATTLE, SHEEP AND EGGS

Hogs, per hundred pounds	\$4.00 to 4.10
Sheep, per hundred .....	3.50 to 4.00
Steers, per hundred .....	4.00 to 4.50
Veal calves, per hundred .....	4.50 to 5.00
Beef cows, per hundred .....	8.00 to 9.00
Lambs .....	4.00 to 5.00
Heifers .....	8.00 to 4.00

### POULTRY

Young Toms .....	9c
Old Toms .....	7c
Chickens, per pound .....	6c
Hens on foot, per pound .....	8
Ducks, per pound .....	6c
Geese, per pound .....	5c
Turkeys, per cwt .....	11c

### FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

Potatoes, per bushel .....	75
Apples, per bushel .....	1.20 1.25

### Indianapolis Grain and Livestock

Wheat—Wagon, 98c; No. 2, 55c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 50c. Hay—Clover, \$10.00 @ 12.00; timothy, \$13.00 @ 15.00; mixed, \$13.00 @ 14.00. Cattle—\$4.00 @ 5.75. Hogs—\$3.50 @ 4.35. Sheep—\$3.00 @ 4.50. Lambs—\$4.00 @ 6.50. Receipts—7,500 hogs; 750 cattle; 150 sheep.
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### At Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.02. Corn—No. 3, 54c. Oats—No. 2, 52c. Cattle—Steers, \$4.00 @ 6.35; stockers and feeders, \$3.00 @ 4.75. Hogs—\$3.00 @ 4.45. Sheep—\$3.50 @ 5.50. Lambs—\$5.25 @ 7.00.
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### New York Livestock.

Cattle—\$3.50 @ 5.80. Hogs—\$4.00 @ 4.85. Sheep—\$3.00 @ 5.00. Lambs—\$5.50 @ 7.40.
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### At East Buffalo.

Cattle—\$4.50 @ 5.75. Hogs—\$3.50 @ 4.60. Sheep—\$3.50 @ 4.75. Lambs—\$6.00 @ 7.25.</
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## CHANGE IN MEAT MARKET

Having purchased the North Main Street Meat Market, Corner Main and Seventh, of Will H. Cherry, I solicit your continued patronage with the assurance of a well kept and well stocked meat market. Choicest Rush County beef killed.

Phone 1155 **TOM BISHOP** Main and Seventh

We sell the  
best of groceries all  
the year round. A trial  
order will convince you

**L. L. ALLEN, Grocer, 327-329 Main St.**  
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## COUNTY NEWS

### Mauzy.

Mrs. Inez Morris and daughter Frances Mary visited in Connersville Thursday.

Miss Alma Conaway, of Rushville, is the guest of Miss Jennie Griffin this week.

Two young men of Knightstown, were entertained by the Misses Mary and Nellie Guffin, Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Wynn was shopping in Connersville, Monday.

Miss Nellie Clifton, of Rushville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jarrett, the first of the week.

John Mauzy went to Indianapolis Friday.

Mrs. Ella Hunt, of Connersville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Morris last Sunday and attended church services at Ben Davis Creek.

Charles Norris, of Rushville, was in our town Wednesday.

Solomon Shank died last Wednesday night. He had been in poor health for several months. He had spent most of his life in Union township and was a cheerful, peaceful and upright citizen. Funeral services were held at the residence of his niece, Mrs. Pearl Hinckman on Friday at 2 o'clock, and was laid in his last resting place in the Ben Davis Creek cemetery. He was a member of the Ben Davis Creek church.

### Carthage.

Henry Stinger, of Indianapolis, visited relatives here over Sunday.

Miss Edna Benning, of Rushville, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Nelle Whittaker, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones, of Knights-town, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Butler.

Herbert Gates, of Terre Haute, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Gates, last week.

Lee Nixon, of Porto Rico, and C. O. Nixon, of Indianapolis, were guests of

## Keep The Kidneys Well

Health is Worth Saving, and Some Rushville People Know How to Save it

Many Rushville people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Sick kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health, but there is no need to suffer nor to remain in danger when all the diseases and aches and pains due to weak kidneys can be quickly and permanently cured by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. Here is the statement of a Rushville citizen who has reclaimed good health by the use of this remedy.

Mrs. Ernest Carpenter, 916 N. Sexton Street, Rushville Ind. says:

"I give Doan's Kidney Pills to my little boy. His kidneys were weak and he could not refrain from bed wetting. This trouble clung to him for some time and I was afraid it would not be removed, as our doctor had not succeeded in checking it. He seemed delicate and craved nothing but sweets. He had a bad complexion and had every symptom of unhealthy kidneys. I learned that Doan's Kidney Pills had cured many children of bed wetting and I procured them at F. B. Johnson & Company's drug store. They soon checked the trouble. He has better appetite now, the color in his face is returning and there is a general improvement in his condition."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

## PEOPLES' COLUMN

Under this head we will print short discussions of public questions and timely topics, but the Republics will not be responsible for the opinions expressed—they are the opinions of the writers and not of the Republican. Nothing of a libelous nature or personal reflection will be printed. The writers must confine themselves to the question discussed. While the articles may be signed by a nom de plume, the name of the writer must be signed for identification.

### A Letter from Capt. Wilker to Company G.

Hello! old Company G! What are you all doing these long winter nights? I suppose you all take the Republican. If you don't take it now, had better get after it, for fear you will miss some good things in its pages, a letter from me, for instance, or a windy article on "Our Jim."

Wake up, boys! This is campaign year and many things are liable to happen. You may all get a raise of pension. You know last year congressmen, clerks and mail carriers all received increases and now "Our Jim" will surely not fail to give the old soldier an increase this year, "For Uncle Sam is rich enough to give us all a farm."

Do you ever stop to think of where you were at, and how you were earning thirteen dollars per month about forty-four years ago? On or about January 23d, 1864, we left Fort Pillow, and floated down to Vicksburg, where we started on our overland trip to Meridian, Miss. Of course, you recollect the 4th of February when they poured it into us near Jackson and killed Bertrand who carried the flag; shattered the knee of Goulding and the ankle of Hargit. I think long Bill Smith, of Milroy, picked up the flag when Bertrand of Company A, was killed. Poor Strickland also ended his service then and there.

Who were the men that helped me carry Goulding to Jackson on that stretcher. I remember Sam Sheppard, Mel Brooks, and I, think, Alf Pearcey. Say, boys, those stretcher handles were desperately heavy the last mile. I think there were six of

us and we carried him two miles. He died in a few days.

How many of you saw the dead women and live baby on the floor of the cabin near Meriden as we entered the town after the last skirmish with the enemy? Think of what war meant to some people, and what became of the baby!

Of course, you remember February 27th in the return trip, when we reached at Canton, Miss.

If you boys want any more of this racket you must defend me from the editor, for I carry no insurance, and want a copy of each letter.

You know Company G was in the last battle of the war, and some of you were not there. And I might tell you something new about it. What has become of Smith Carney. He is not getting old, I hope. Brace up Smith, and pattern after such boys as Wilkes and Col. Wolfe. They are only in their teens. T. WILKES.

Jan. 32, 1908.

### Reform in School Luncheons.

Parents have come to see the danger of allowing school children to make their luncheons upon unwholesome food containing little if any nourishment. There are many palatable lunches that can be easily made at little cost and that the children will like as well as unwholesome sweets.

Curant cakes from this recipe make a very nourishing luncheon: One-half pound butter, twelve ounces sugar, fourteen ounces flour, six ounces currants, one-quarter ounce baking powder, four eggs, one gill milk, essence of lemon. Sift the baking powder with the flour on to a sheet of paper on the board; add the fruit and peel; cream up butter and sugar, adding eggs in the usual way; stir in the flour, fruit, etc., and work—i.e., beat up to cake batter consistency with the milk. Place in round papered tins and bake in a moderate oven.

Children also like these oatmeal biscuits: One-half pound flour, one-quarter pound coarse oatmeal, two ounces brown sugar, three ounces currants, one gill milk. Mix the flour, oatmeal and sugar, warm the butter in the milk, add the currants, and then work the whole together into a paste; roll out very thinly, stamp out into round or other shape and bake in a moderate oven for about twenty minutes.

Notice is hereby given that the Tax Duplicates for State, County, Township and Corporation Taxes, also for Ditch Taxes for the year 1907 is now in my hands, and that I am ready to receive the taxes thereon charged. The following table shows the rate of taxation on each One Hundred Dollars' worth of property, and also on each Poll, in the several Townships in Rush County, Indiana, for the year 1907.

## TAXES FOR 1907

TOWNS AND TOWNSHIPS

	May	November	Total	State Tax	Benevolent Inst. Fund	Educational Inst. Tax	Assessor's Tax	Road Tax	Tuition Tax	Township Tax	Poor Fund	County Tax	Corp. Sch. Bond Tax	Prin. Court House Bond Tax	Total					
Ripley	\$ 89	\$ 62	\$ 1 51	12	13	5c	2 1/4	1 65-100	\$ 26	2c	10c	14c	16c	20	7c	12c	5c	1c	\$ 1 51	2 50
Poll.				50	50				1 00		25	25								
Posey	93	68	1 61	12	13	6	5	2 1/4	1 65-100	26	15	20	20	15	10	12	3	1 61	2 50	
Poll.				50	50				1 00		25	25								
Walker	1 01	71	1 72	12	13	6	5	2 1/4	1 65-100	26	1	20	25	15	20	10	12	5	1 72	2 50
Poll.				50	50				1 00		25	25								
Orange	1 13	82	1 95	12	13	6	5	2 1/4	1 65-100	26	1	30	18	35	20	10	12	5	1 95	2 50
Poll.				50	50				1 00		25	25								
Anderson	1 02	71	1 73	12	13	6	5	2 1/4	1 65-100	26	1	30	18	35	20	10	12	5	1 73	3 00
Poll.				50	50				1 00		25	25								
Rushville	82	59	1 41	12	13	6	5	2 1/4	1 65-100	26	3	4	17	14	12	10	12	5	1 41	2 50
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Jackson	81	58	1 39	12	13	6	5	2 1/4	1 65-100	26	1	12	20	3	12	10	12	5	1 39	2 50
Poll.				50	50				1 00		25	25								
Center	1 01	70	1 71	12	13	6	5	2 1/4	1 65-100	26	20	15	25	20	10	12	5	1 71	2 50	
Poll.				50	50				1 00		25	25								
Washington	1 06	86	1 92	12	13	6	5	2 1/4	1 65-100	26	1	20	20	50	20	12	5	1 92	2 50	
Poll.				50	50				1 00		25	25								
Union	89	55	1 44	12	13	6	5	2 1/4	1 65-100	26	12	18	25	8	12	5	3	1 44	2 00	
Poll.				50	50				1 00		25	25								
Glenwood Corporation	93	93	1 86	12	13	6	5	2 1/4	1 65-100	26	12	18	20	12	5	3	50	5	1 86	2 25
Poll.				50	50				1 00		25	25								
Noble	1 00	70	1 70	12	13	6	5	2 1/4	1 65-100	26	1	20	20	18	20	10	12	5	1 70	2 50
Poll.				50	50				1 00		25	25								
Richland	1 03	77	1 80	12	13	6	5	2 1/4	1 65-100	26	14	16	10	15	10	12	5	3	1 80	2 50
Poll.				50	50				1 00		25	25								
Rushville City	1 50	1 49	2 99	12	13	6	5	2 1/4	1 65-100	26	3	30	50	12	5	3	55	60	2 99	3 75
Poll.				50	50				1 00		25	25								
Carthage Corporation	1 10	1 09	2 19	12	13	6	5													

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RUSHVILLE, INDIANA, JANUARY 27, 1908

Haytian insurgents are said to have shot a man. This is a rank violation of the Caribbean sea code of revolution.

While the world is unable to define electricity, it has learned much about what may be done with it, and it has become one of the greatest boons to mankind. The making of electrical appliances has become one of the greatest industries. Last year the people of the United States spent \$315,000,000 for electrical manufactures, and many men still in active business remember the time when some simple instruments in college laboratories, without practical utility, covered the whole field of electrical knowledge.

It was certainly a happy day for James E. Watson last Saturday when he addressed his former neighbors and friends of Randolph county at a convention, wherein his father, Enos L. Watson was chosen to lead the Randolph county delegation, which was instructed to vote for his son. And it must have been a happy and proud day for the elder Mr. Watson, who is 77 years old to have the honor and privilege in the evening of his life to head a delegation and assist in the nomination of an illustrious and distinguished son.

Japan, which is burdened with a heavy war tax and torn by internal dissensions, seems to be a scarecrow to a great many people. That little country cannot afford to go to war with any one, much less with the United States. Sensible people will pay no attention to the sensational predictions of trouble with Japan, which are appearing in the columns of certain newspapers. The president has given to the public, through the newspapers, the assurance that all is going well with the negotiations, between the United States and Japan and the

By long odds the gayest and most inspiring sight in New York on New Year's day was the spectacle of Mark Twain, arrayed in that famous white flannel suit, walking about the streets of the metropolis. "My clothes match the weather," he said when people inquired about the raiment.

## POLITICAL

### Republican Committee Meeting

The Republican precinct committee men will meet in the assembly room he court house at Rushville, on Saturday, February 1, 1908, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of fixing the

date for the nomination of our county and township tickets.

Also to select a date for the selection of delegates to the State, Congressional, Joint Senatorial, Judicial and County conventions.

Very Respectfully,  
CHAS. A. FRAZEE, Co. Chairman  
OLELL MAPLE, Secretary.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### FOR JOINT SENATOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of Elmer J. Blinford, or Greenfield, Ind., as a candidate for Joint Senator for the counties of Rush, Hancock and Fayette, on the Republican ticket.

#### FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of Bruce Graham as a candidate for county Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

The name of Morrison (Mort) Beaver is announced as a candidate for sheriff on the Republican ticket, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

Noah Tryon, of Orange township announces himself as a candidate for Sheriff of Rush county, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Elmer L. Bebout, of Walker township, as a candidate for sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Hiram Wertz, of Rushville township, as a candidate for sheriff, subject to the Republican nominating convention.

#### FOR CLERK.

We are authorized to announce the name of Vern W. Norris, of Jackson Township, as a candidate for Clerk of Rush Circuit Court subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Hershel E. Daubenspeck, of Union township, as a candidate for Clerk of the Rush Circuit Court, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Will C. McColgin, as a candidate for Clerk of the Circuit Court of Rush county, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of David O. Alter, of Orange township, as a candidate for clerk of the circuit court subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Jesse M. Stone, of Ripley township, as a candidate for county Auditor, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

#### FOR CORONER

Dr. Lowell M. Green announces his self as a candidate for Coroner of Rush county subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

Dr. A. G. Shauk, of Pescy Tp., announces his self as a candidate for Coroner of Rush county subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

Dr. E. D. Jewett, of Richland township, announces himself as a candidate for Coroner of Rush county subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

#### FOR COMMISSIONER

We are authorized to announce the name of Thomas J. Humes as a candidate for Commissioner of the Middle District, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

#### FOR TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE

We are authorized to announce the name of James Vincent Young as a candidate for Trustee of Rushville township, subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

#### FOR TOWNSHIP ASSESSOR.

Andrew S. Armstrong is announced as a candidate for Assessor of Rushville township subject to the decision of the Republican nominating convention.

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**Porter's Way.**  
Sixteen monster battleships in conscious glory steaming  
Down from Rio to the south and north  
To Frisco bay—  
A sight to stir the patriot, to set the  
watcher dreaming  
Of Porter in the Essex when he sailed  
the selfsame way.

Porter had a frigate to sweep the broad  
Pacific;  
Half the seas were hostile, foes in every  
port;  
Porter and his men didn't think the task  
terrific.  
Didn't think the job was work, just a  
bit of sailors' sport.

So Porter and the Essex did a job as  
thorough  
As any ocean rover from Magellan to the  
line.  
Of all the fleets of whalers, not a keel  
dare plow a furrow;  
Of privateers and cruisers they didn't  
leave a sign.

Porter and the Essex ruled the broad  
Pacific spaces,  
With his crew of Yankee sailors and his  
flag of "sailors' rights,"  
From Magellan to the line, Valparaiso to  
Marquesas,  
Till he lost the storm smashed Essex in  
the bloodiest of fights.

To the same serene Pacific the battleships  
are going,  
Into friendly waters, peaceful in their  
night,  
But ready, quick and ready, should any  
foe be showing.  
Like Porter in the Essex, to clean ev-  
erything in sight.  
—Wex Jones in *New York American*.

## INDIANA POLITICS

BY ROBERT G. TUCKER

Indianapolis, January 27.—Amos W. Butler, secretary of the board of state charities, who has returned to his desk after a two weeks' illness, has forwarded to members of the Oklahoma legislature, upon request, copies of Indiana's law for dependent and neglected children, the child desertion law, the juvenile court law, the board of children's guardians law, the law governing the boys' and girls' reform schools and the Jeffersonville reformatory and state prison; the indeterminate sentence law, the parole law, the adult probation law and the laws establishing the insane hospitals, the school for feeble-minded youth, the epileptic village and the board of state charities.

Alexander Johnson, secretary of the National Conference of Charities and Correction, who has returned from Frankfort, Ky., where he had been attending the Kentucky conference of charities, said that Kentucky is seeking to establish a board of state charities modeled after the Indiana board; a school for feeble-minded youth like that in this state, and to enact an indeterminate sentence law and parole law. Governor Willson is interested in these new laws, but deadlock in the legislature at present is blocking things. W. H. Whittaker, superintendent, and Dr. W. C. Sharp, physician at the Indiana reformatory, were on the program at the Kentucky conference.

Randolph county's twenty delegates to the Republican state convention were instructed and pledged to vote for James E. Watson for governor at the state convention. The unique distinction of a father casting the vote of his county for his son will be witnessed when Enos L. Watson casts the Randolph county vote. He was selected as a delegate and elected chairman of the delegation. He is seventy-seven years old and was a delegate to the first Republican convention in Indiana in 1856. He was a delegate also in 1860, and a member of the first legislature that elected Oliver P. Morton the great "war governor," to the United States senate. Congressman Watson was born in Randolph county and lived there until after he became a voter.

The state board of health will send to the physicians of the state notices to the effect that they must be more explicit in reporting causes of death. The board has been troubled much with indefinite death returns, which have led to controversies, especially over applications for widows' pensions or the payment of insurance. "Heart failure," the instructions say, should never be accepted as the sole cause of death. "What disease caused the heart failure?" says the circular to the physicians. "The heart always fails before death from any cause. Be particularly careful that deaths from diphtheria, tuberculosis, etc., are so reported. If organic heart disease is meant, it should be so stated." Regarding the term "inanition," as returned by some physicians as a cause of death, the bulletin says: "This is a particularly pernicious term, and is responsible for a multitude of worthless certificates. It sounds as if it meant something definite, but in the majority of cases it does not. What disease caused the inanition? Was it tuberculosis or cholera infantum? If unable to take food, state cause."

Congressman Charles B. Landis of Delphi probably will have no opposition when the delegates meet March 5 at Frankfort to nominate a candidate to succeed him. His friends have been very active since the re-election of George Dinwiddie of Frankfort as chairman, and apparently have succeeded in beating the anti-Landis movement in every county except Howard, where Judge B. F. Harness of Kokomo is still a candidate. The delegates have been selected in Hamilton county and twenty-one of the twenty-two are favorable to Landis, although Dr. A. R. Tucker of Noblesville, says that he is in the race. The election of the Landis delegates in Hamilton county will make it impossible for anyone to form a successful combination against him.

If you want good meat Phone 1669 Kramer's.

#### Piano Tuning

Leave orders with A. P. Wagoner at

Poe's Jewelry Store. Fe35dwtf

## Financial Troubles Due to Wastefulness.

By WILLIAM SHERER, Manager of the New York Clearing House.

**C**AUSES of the present financial difficulties are many and varied. WASTEFULNESS has been one. The war between Russia and Japan disturbed capital throughout the world. The great WASTE OF MATERIAL CAUSED BY A WAR takes years to restore. That war was preventable, but the earthquake and the subsequent fire at San Francisco, which ruined the accumulation of years, were important factors in the waste of capital. As we come nearer to the present time, looking back a very few years, we see how EXTRAVAGANT AND WASTEFUL this prosperous people have been.

THE MISUSE OF TRUST HAS LED THE SUSPICION BY MANY, AND THE CONSEQUENT LOSS OF CONFIDENCE HAS CAUSED THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE TO WITHDRAW THEIR MONEY FROM THE BANKS, HOARDING IT AND THUS KEEPING IT FROM THE CHANNELS OF TRADE, LIMITING NECESSARY PRODUCTION, THEREBY CAUSING A STOPPING OF WORK AND THE SUFFERING WHICH NATURALLY ENSUES THEREFROM.

## CURRENT COMMENT

### Literary Tyranny?

A secret tyranny at work in America" is alleged by Gertrude Atherton to be the cause in great part of "lack of originality, of virility, of elemental force," in the large annual output of American writers of fiction. Mrs. Atherton asserts that the European writer has greater liberty to paint with a free hand, to essay "individual literary creation." To quote further from a recent interview with this gifted author:

But in America originality is not wanted by the powers that govern our literary output. A certain arbitrary school of writers has erected here a narrow convention standard, a hard and fast rule, to which they would be author, with a message all his own, is bound as to some proscriptive belt whose painful limitations are repressive of genius and bring all who come within its influence to one dead level of sameness, of mediocrity, of hopelessly middle class effort. We must write in miniature as we must view America as a stage upon which the great dramas of humanity are not acted, if we wish to be numbered among the great writers of this pitiful school that at present seems to have the literary conscience of this country in its keeping. And until this standard is withdrawn until the bars that guard the way to the limitless pastures of imaginative literature are taken down, the books that are written in America will surely not mirror this country's manifold, seething life, will not be typical of our complex national existence.

Mrs. Atherton herself struggled long for a recognition of her work, which bears the stamp of originality, and her latest novel soon took rank among the "best sellers." She says that the tyranny referred to is exercised by a school of writers, "the magazine school," which has taken to itself the office of literary censor, and that it emanates unconsciously from William Dean Howells. The standard set by Howells and followed by a large body of writers, a "sort of literary aristocracy," is described as "hopelessly narrow, finicky, commonplace in its conception and treatment of things." Mrs. Atherton continues:

Undoubtedly this magazine school has taught some people how to write who possibly never would have developed into anything otherwise, but that is rather a negative virtue after all. I confess that at the beginning of my literary career I could make nothing of this school. I couldn't write the way it demanded, and so I went to England and obtained the recognition I needed there.

It is a curious thing, but England with its venerable literary antecedents has no hard and fast standard to impose upon the writer. There is a perfect hunger for something new among both British publishers and public that is quite refreshing to the writer who has wearied of struggling with the Howells cult. Here the critics and the publishers are positively frightened at anything new.

Mrs. Atherton admits that it is unfair to lay all blame for the "suppression of originality" in American novels to any school of writers, for "it is the public in the last resort that is to blame."

She also predicts that the time will undoubtedly come when there will be at least two standards of literary excellence recognized in this country and that writers whom originally stir with an unconquerable force and with the gift to create life in fiction as it is found in the real world will give the American public a glimpse of something new, something to remain as an "inspiration to true effort in American literature."

In the course of the interview Mrs. Atherton drops a hint as to her own standard for fiction, saying:

All subjects are good for the novelist, but the latter must be able to tell something worth while, something original, of the phase of life which he makes his theme, else the picture he would convey will be false alike to art and morals. And then, above all, there is the canon of literary taste which, in the case of a veritable master, must decide infallibly where the novelist is to stop in the treatment of a disagreeable theme from real life.

The point is also made that the great novelist should be able at times to present an "impersonality of style," an aloofness in sympathy with the traits of the characters he is depicting. At the same time great writers must know all about the people and the conditions they would describe.

William McDaniel, of Glenwood, was struck on the side of the head with a brick Saturday night just as he was leaving the meat market, staggering him and causing him to lose his beans and other groceries which he was carrying in his arms. The guilty party was not found.

Clinton Case, of Connerville, was the guest of friends in this city today.

A fashion article on bridal veils relates that a recent bride wore her face covered on the way to the altar.

## PEOPLE HERE WANT POWERS PARDONED

Petition to be Presented to Kentucky Governor was Freely Signed in Rushville

A petition was circulated among the prominent citizens of Rushville today, praying for the pardon of Caleb Powers, who is held for alleged complicity in the Governor Geobel murder. The paper was freely signed, as it should have been, and in only one single instance did anyone refuse to place his name upon it. It will be presented to Governor Willson, of Kentucky.

Powers has been imprisoned for over eight years, and at his last trial eleven men stood for acquittal and but one held out for conviction.

## PROMINENT MAN COMING SUNDAY

Hen. McKenzie Cleland of the Chicago Juvenile Court, will speak here

Probably the foremost lecturer who will appear on the local platform at any of the Men's Big Meetings in this city, comes next Sunday when the Hon. McKenzie Cleland, of Chicago, will be the speaker of the afternoon.

On Saturday Baron Takahira, the new Japanese ambassador to Washington, will leave Rome for this country.

On Wednesday, at San Antonio, Tex., the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will convene in annual session.

The orange crop harvest of California, now in full season, in quantity and quality, promises to break all records.

Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, founder of Christian Science, has moved from Concord, N. H., to Brookline, a suburb of Boston.

The most conspicuous event of the week in the foreign field will be the re-opening of the British parliament on Wednesday.

Half a hundred representatives of Germany's highest nobility are in Berlin taking part in the celebration of the emperor's 50th birthday today.

Monongah mines Nos. 6 and 8 of the Fairmont (W. Va.) Coal company, in which the explosion of Dec. 6 last killed 360 men, have resumed operation.

Three men were instantly killed and five others seriously injured by a premature explosion of dynamite in the Pennsylvania tunnel at Homestead, N. J.

On Wednesday in Washington the American Forestry association will begin a meeting during which the forestry problem in all its phases will be discussed.

Rear Admiral Evans's battleship fleet is scheduled to arrive at Punt Arenas on Friday or Saturday. The torpedo boat fleet will probably

## Coming and Going

—Harry Boyd spent Sunday with home folks in Connersville.

—A. A. Miller, of Connersville, was in this city on business today.

—J. R. Nugent, of Indianapolis, was the guest of Mrs. Frank Mock today.

—James Dill spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hunt, in Indianapolis.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Wagoner, of North Harrison street, visited relatives in New Palestine Sunday.

—Miss Edith Abbott returned to Zionsville this morning after a short visit with her sister, Mrs. T. A. Craig, in North Harrison street.

—Miss Gladys Osborn, of Mays, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Osborn, in West Fourth street.

—Clyde Mitchell, of Indianapolis, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Stiffler, in West Fourth street, Sunday.

—Mrs. Charles White and son Ralph spent Sunday with relatives in Indianapolis.

—Tom J. Geraghty spent Sunday the guest of Charles V. Tevis in Cincinnati.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wade Sherman and son Charles spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Posey.

—Why not buy meat at Kramer's, when you know you get Rush county's best meat. Phone 1569.

Mystery, Mirth and Music, DURNO and Company, Grand Theatre, Monday, Jan. 27th.

—Will Schrichte was a visitor in Cincinnati yesterday.

—George W. Young was in Marion today on legal business.

—George Weber, of Greenfield, was in this city today on business.

—Harrie Jones left today for a business trip to several cities in Ohio.

—Mrs. Charles White and son Ralph spent Sunday with relatives in Indianapolis.

—Tom J. Geraghty spent Sunday the guest of Charles V. Tevis in Cincinnati.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wade Sherman and son Charles spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Posey.

—Miss Bonnie Whitelock, of Henderson, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sharp, in East Seventh street.

—Miss Marie Locke, of West Second street left for Frankfort today to visit her sister, Mrs. Ollie Newhouse, for two weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hugo, of North Morgan street, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Posey, west of this city, Sunday.

—Mrs. H. G. Hackman, of West Second street, visited her husband at Martinsville sanitarium Sunday. Mr. Hackman is somewhat improved since going to Martinsville.

—Homer Cole left this morning for Marietta, Ohio, where he will have charge of the singing and devotional exercises in a series of revival meetings at that place.

—Mrs. Kate Colopy and little son, of Fort Collins, Colorado, is the guest of her sisters, Misses Mary and Agnes Winston and Mrs. Frank Abercrombie, of West Fourth street.

—Mrs. William Emsweller, of North Harrison street, and her two little daughters were the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Osborn at Ogden, Sunday.

### VALENTINES WITH OPEN WORK AND POINT LACE

The local stores are showing the usual line of valentines, both comic and those with "open-work, Irish point" for the swain with the "dearest girl on earth." St. Valentine's Day is a great day to settle an old grudge without the other fellow knowing who gave it to him in the neck.

### IN NEW YORK SOCIETY.

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In gay New York where women get their ideas from their sisters in Paris, the hair tonic of Prof. Giroux called Parisian Sage is in great demand.

Prof. Giroux undoubtedly the most eminent hair specialist in the world, is the discoverer of Parisian Sage and he claims most emphatically that it is the only hair preparation that will kill the persistent dandruff germs.

At any rate the Giroux Mfg. Co., of Buffalo, N. Y., sole manufacturers of Parisian Sage in the United States, give out through their local agent F. B. Johnson & Co., this money back guarantee which is no doubt strong enough and plain enough to please the most exacting.

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The man who makes you laugh, DURNO, at the Grand Theatre, Monday, Jan. 27th

### New Box Ball Alley.

An invitation is extended to the business men of Rushville to come to the new American box ball alley, in the room one door north of the "Vaudet," and try a game of box ball free of charge. The alleys will be opened Monday night, under the management of Thomas H. Fritter.

## SOCIETY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Rich Reed entertained at dinner Sunday at their home in North Main street, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Vance, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cross and Miss Leona Vance.

The N. T. club will be entertained on Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. George W. Young, at her home in North Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jet Parker, Charles Offutt and Jack Knecht spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Knecht, near Mays, and attended a birthday dinner in honor of Miss Eva-Line Knecht.

Mrs. Percy Wright was delightfully surprised at her home Saturday evening by a number of her friends in honor of her birthday anniversary. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Powell, of North Morgan street, entertained at dinner yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Birney Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Amos, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Winship, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Norris, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Harris and Mrs. Mary E. Powell.

An elegant wedding dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Jones, in Rushville township, Thursday, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Odice Jones, who were married Wednesday evening. The home was artistically decorated in red, white and blue ribbon. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Jones, of Elwood; Mrs. Jackson, of Shelbyville; Mrs. Eva Irvin, of Falmouth; Lem. Warne and family, of Gings; Rust Barnes and family, of Alpine; Mrs. Anna Mundenhall, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Broddy, Mr. and Mrs. William Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Channings, Mrs. McCann, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Buell and daughter Thelma and John Hostetter. The bride and groom were recipients of over a hundred useful and beautiful presents. As soon as the dinner was over, the couple left for a short wedding tour, after which they will be at home to their friends at Falmouth.

## CHURCH NEWS

The Pastor's Aid Society of the Main Street Christian church will meet with Mrs. Walter Peters in North Perkins street, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

### GIDDY YOUNG THINGS CUTTING-UP IN RIPLEY

Suit for \$5000 damages has been filed in the Ripley circuit court by Mrs. Elizabeth Stafford, aged 62 years, against Mrs. Margaret Orr, aged 72 years, for alienating the affections of her husband, Sidney Cornelius Stafford, aged 75 years.

The best attraction seen in Rushville his season, at the Grand Theatre, Monday, Jan. 27th.

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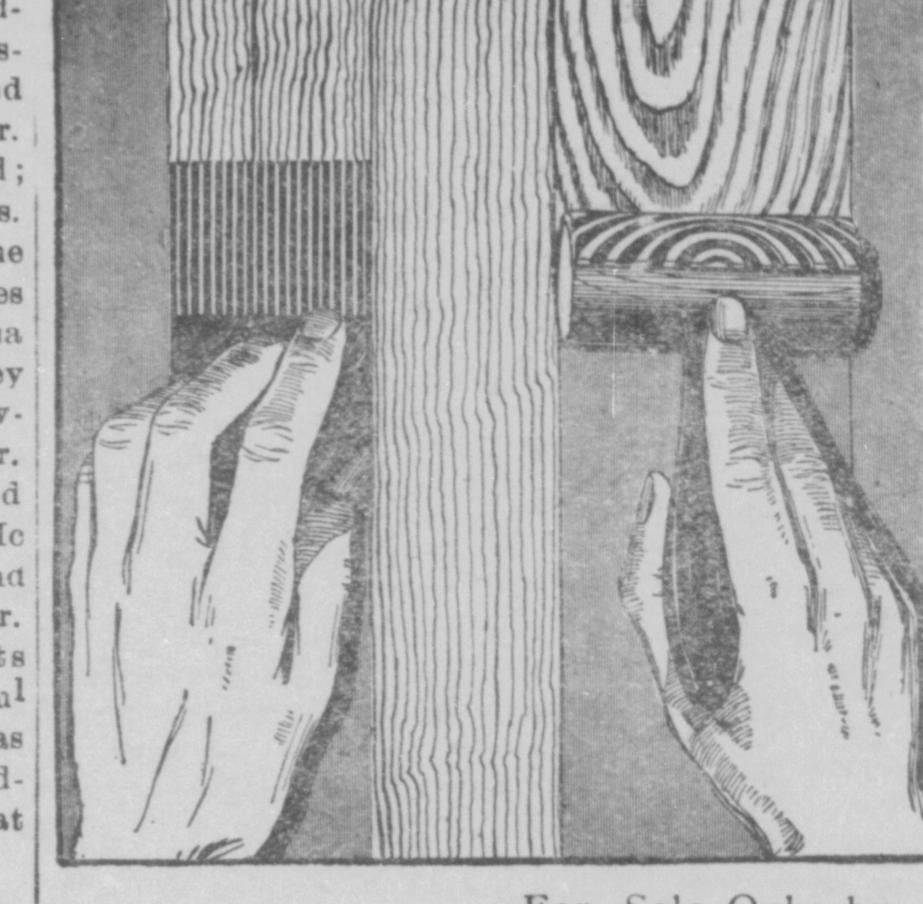
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CHANGE OF PROGRAM EACH WEEK.

## The Fighting Chance.

... By . . .  
ROBERT W.  
CHAMBERS.

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The Siward house was old only in the comparative Manhattan meaning of the word, for in New York nothing is really very old except the faces of the young men.

Decades ago it had been considered a big house, and it was still so spoken of—a solid, dingy, red brick structure, cubical in proportions, surmounted by heavy chimneys, the depth of its sunken windows hinting of the thickness of wall and foundation. Window curtains of obsolete pattern, all alike and all drawn, masked the blank panes. Three massive wistaria vines, the gnarled stems as thick as tree trunks, crawled upward to the roof, dividing the facade equally and furnishing some relief to its flatness, otherwise unbroken except by the deep reveals of window and door. Two huge and unsymmetrical catalpa trees stood sentinels before it, dividing curb from asphalt, and from the centers of the shriveled brown grass plots flanking the stoop under the basement windows two aged Rose of Sharon trees bristled naked to the height of the white marble capitals of the flaking pillars supporting the stained portico.

"Nice old family mausoleum," commented Fleetwood, descending from the hansom, followed by Plank.

The door was opened by a very old man wearing the black swallowtail clothes and choker of an old time butler, spotless, quite immaculate, but cut after a fashion no young man remembers.

"Good evening, Gumble," said Fleetwood, entering, followed on tiptoe by Plank.

"Good evening, sir." A pause and in the unsteady voice of age: "Mr. Fleetwood, sir, Mr.—" A bow and the dim eyes peering up at Plank, who stood fumbling for his cardcase.

Fleetwood dropped both cards on the salver unsteadily extended. The butler ushered them into a dim room on the right.

"How is Mr. Siward?" asked Fleetwood, pausing on the threshold and dropping his voice.

The old man hesitated, looking down; then still looking away from Fleetwood: "Bravely, sir; bravely, Mr. Fleetwood."

"The Siwards were always that," said the young man gently.

"Yes, sir. Thank you, Mr. Stephen—Mr. Siward," he corrected quaintly, "is indisposed, sir. It was a—a great shock to us all, sir." He bowed and turned away, holding his salver stiffly, and they heard him muttering under his breath: "Bravely, sir; bravely. A—great shock, sir. Thank you."

The latter returned presently, saying that Mr. Siward was at home and would receive them in the library above, as he was not yet able to pass up and down stairs.

Siward was sitting in an armchair by the window, one leg extended, his left foot, stiffly cased in bandages, resting on a footstool.

"Why, Stephen," exclaimed Fleetwood, hastening forward, "I didn't know you were laid up like this!"

Siward offered his hand inquiringly; then his eyes turned toward Plank, who stood behind Fleetwood, and, slowly disengaging his hand from Fleetwood's sympathetic grip, he offered it to Plank.

"It is very kind of you," he said. "Gumble, Mr. Fleetwood prefers rye for some inscrutable reason. Mr. Plank?" His smile was a question.

"If you don't mind," said Plank, "I should like to have some tea—that is, if—"

"Tea, Gumble, for two. We'll tipple in company, Mr. Plank," he added. "And the cigars are at your elbow, Billy," with another smile at Fleetwood.

"Now," said the latter after he had lighted his cigar, "what is the matter, Stephen?"

Siward glanced at his stiffly extended foot. "Nothing much." He redenied faintly. "I slipped. It's only a twisted ankle."

For a moment or two the answer satisfied Fleetwood; then a sudden, curious flash of suspicion came into his eyes. He glanced sharply at Siward, who lowered his eyes, while the red tint in his hollow cheeks deepened.

Neither spoke for awhile. Plank sip-

drive to the office tomorrow."

"Why the devil did you resign from all your clubs? How can I see you if I don't come here?" began Fleetwood impatiently. "I know, of course, that you're not going anywhere, but a man always goes to his club. You don't look well, Stephen. You are too much alone."

Siward did not answer. His face and body had certainly grown thinner since Fleetwood had last seen him. Plank, too, had been shocked at the change in him—the dark, hard lines under the eyes; the pallor, the curious immobility of the man, save for his fingers, which were always restless, now moving in search of some small object to worry and turn over and over, now nervously settling into a grasp on the arm of his chair.

"How is Amalgamated Electric?" asked Fleetwood abruptly.

"I think it's all right. Want to buy some?" replied Siward, smiling.

Plank stirred in his chair ponderously. "Somebody is kicking it to pieces," he said.

"Somebody is trying to," smiled Siward.

"Don't talk that way."

"Very well, I won't," said Siward, smiling. "Tell me what is happening out there." He made a gesture toward the window. "All the gossip the newspapers miss. I've talked Dr. Grisby to death; I've talked Gumble to death; I've read myself stupid. What's going on, Billy?"

So Fleetwood sketched for him a gay cartoon of events, caricaturing various episodes in the social kaleidoscope which might interest him. Politics was touched upon, and they spoke of the possibility of Ferrall going to the assembly, the sport of boss baiting having become fashionable among amateurs and providing a new amusement for the idle rich. So city, state and national issues were run through lightly, business conditions noticed, the stock market speculated upon, and they spoke of the possibility of Ferrall going to the assembly, the sport of boss

baiting having become fashionable among amateurs and providing a new amusement for the idle rich.

"Yes, I must go to the office tomorrow," he repeated absently. "I am better—in fact, I am quite well except for this sprain." He looked down at his bandaged foot; then his pencil moved listlessly again, continuing the endless variations on the two letters. It was plain that he was tired.

Fleetwood rose and made his adieu almost affectionately. Plank moved forward on tiptoe, bulky and noiseless, and Siward held out his hand, saying something amably formal.

"Would you like to have me come again?" asked Plank, red with embarrassment, yet so naively that at first Siward found no words to answer him; then:

"Would you care to come, Mr. Plank?"

"Yes."

Siward looked at him curiously, almost cautiously. His first impressions of the man had been summed up in one contemptuous word. Besides, barring that, what was there in common between himself and such a type as Plank? He had not even troubled

himself to avoid him at Shotover. He had merely been aware of him when Plank spoke to him.

Perhaps Plank had changed, perhaps Siward had, for he found nothing offensive in the bulky young man now—nothing particularly attractive, either, except for a certain simplicity, a certain direct candor in the heavy blue eyes which met his squarely.

"Come in for a cigar when you have a few moments idle," said Siward slowly.

"It will give me great pleasure," said Plank, bowing.

And that was all. He followed Fleetwood down the stairs. Wands held their coats and bowed them out into the falling shadows of the winter twilight.

Siward, sitting beside his window, watched them enter their hansom and drive away up the avenue. A dull flush had settled over his cheeks, the aroma of spirits hung in the air, and he looked across the room at the decanter. Presently he drank some of his tea, but it was lukewarm, and he pushed the cup from him.

"Gumble, are you there?" he asked carelessly.

The butler entered from the hallway. "Yes, sir."

"You may leave that decanter."

But the old servant may have misunderstood, for he only bowed and ambled off downstairs with the decanter, either heedless or deaf to his master's sharp order to return.

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### CAN STOP MINE ACCIDENTS.

Ventilation of English Coal Workings So Perfected That Gas Explosions Are Now Almost Unknown.

English coal mine owners have proved that it is possible to do away with the most dreaded cause of mine accidents—gas explosions. As the result of efforts of the past five or six years to improve ventilation, explosions in English mines are now so rare as to make them the smallest factor in the list of fatality causes.

This result has been brought about in spite of the fact that a larger amount of gas is generated in English mines than here. The showing is especially important in view of the frightful accidents of recent date in Pennsylvania mines and the government's report of a greatly increased mine death list.

That mine operators in the United States have not kept up with improvements in ventilation was recently asserted by the Engineering and Mining Journal. Fans known to be faulty, this paper says, are installed in practically the same way that has prevailed for twenty years.

As an example of the advances made abroad in the use of small but very powerful fans the Journal refers to the Pelton colliery, Durham county, England, where one seventy-five inch fan, known as the Strocco, was installed to do the same work performed by two fans of the type still used in the United States. One of the old fans is thirty-six feet and the other thirty feet in diameter, but the newer type of fan handles about 22,000 cubic feet of air per minute more than the two old fans together.

In appearance the fans that have practically done away with explosions in English mines resemble a drum with a large number of narrow blades arranged slantingly around the inner circumference. There are sixty-four blades, each about one-sixteenth of the diameter of the drum. It looks like anything but a fan, but for one with a diameter of about thirty inches the output runs as high as 18,700 cubic feet of air per minute.

Owing to their small size, coupled with great efficiency, these centrifugal fans can be placed underground in workings that are not adequately ventilated. They have been installed at the Ellsworth and Vintondale collieries in Pennsylvania and in the copper mines of the United Verde company of Arizona, proving that adequate ventilation can be had if mine owners will abandon systems that, as the engineering authority already quoted says, "are built simply because fans of similar pattern have been used before."

This indicates one way in which a large proportion of the 7,000 deaths and injuries caused annually in coal mine accidents can be prevented.

A pleasant and healthful recreation is roller skating. Big crowds at the Kramer rink nightly.

Vaudeville at the Grand theatre tomorrow (Tuesday) night.

### AMUSEMENTS

The American Box Ball Co., of Indianapolis, will open tonight in the room north of the "Vandet," with three box ball alleys, under the management of Thomas H. Fritter. This is a new form of amusement for both ladies and gentlemen.

Durno appears, fun begins; removes his gloves, they vanish; waves his wand, birds appear in mid-air, flowers can be seen growing, a small bowl of water is produced from a silk handkerchief, then a large one containing four pailfuls.

Unlike other magicians, Durno is a comedian and humorist, he uses a flow of language which is full of comedy, his voice is clear and distinct, and while listening to him one can see him produce different articles and cause them to vanish.

Durno Company is not composed of so called lecturers nor entertainers. They are fun provokers and entertainers by mystifying, astonishing, imitating, ventriloquism, singing comic songs, playing different kinds of instruments, telling funny stories, etc. You will laugh and laugh as never before. Grand theatre, Monday, January 27th.

"The Lion and the Mouse," English theatre, Indianapolis, all week. A great American play.

Change of bill tonight at the Vandet theatre. Also new illustrated song by Miss Blanche Wrenick.

### NEW AMERICAN INDUSTRY.

Invention Makes Possible Establishment of Linen Mills Here That Will Save Large Part of the \$20,000,000 Now Spent Abroad Every Year For This Fabric.

Since Eli Whitney invented the cotton gin there has been no development in the textile industry more important than the discovery of a process of linen-making commercially practicable under American labor conditions. The earlier Massachusetts inventor's problem was the separation of the cotton seed from the fiber. The problem that has now been solved by another Massachusetts genius, B. C. Mudge, was much more complicated.

He had to find a way to wrest the linen fiber from the flax straw, clean it of its woody envelope, remove the natural gums of the plant, bleach the fiber, clean and make it ready for spinning. As this work is done in the European countries by methods that have changed little in the past 2,000 years, it takes from sixteen to thirty weeks to transform flax into linen. The Mudge process in actual commercial operation does the same work in twelve hours!

Americans have been paying Europe over \$20,000,000 a year for linen because the expense of old world methods of making this fabric is prohibitive with the higher priced labor of the United States. The Oxford linen mills of Boston, that now have absolute control of the Mudge process, will change all this. They can not only save from sixteen to thirty weeks of time, but get more fiber from a given amount of straw after the seed crop has been harvested. The "scutching" of the straw is done by machines and the remaining treatment of the flax by chemicals.

From the date of Whitney's invention the cotton industry has grown until its product is now valued at \$500,000,000 a year. The Oxford linen mills are now founding another colossal textile industry. Using a raw material that costs less than one-third as much as cotton and with the economies of production brought about by the new process, these mills are only the pioneers of many that will soon be turning out linens of every grade with which the foreign product cannot compete.

Work is being rapidly pushed on the equipment of mills at several points, and orders are being taken for early delivery of their product. The great New York house of H. B. Clafin & Co. in giving an order the other day for 25,000 yards of linen crash told the representatives of the Oxford mills, "If you can furnish goods like this, you need seek no other market, as we will take all you can manufacture."

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The Means of the Count and Countess Szczecny Will Be Used In Common, "In the American Manner."

Report That Gladys Vanderbilt's "Royal" Alliance Was Backed by Big Sum Indignantly Denied.

New York, Jan. 27.—In the famous Vanderbilt mansion at Fifth avenue and 57th street today at noon, Miss Gladys, youngest daughter of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, cousin of the Duchess of Marlborough, and one of the richest of American heiresses, became the bride of Count Laszlo Jeno Maria Henrik Simon Szczecny, a young Hungarian noble of ancient lineage.



COUNT SZCZECNY'S BRIDE.

and comfortable fortune. Last summer Miss Vanderbilt became of age and under the provision of her father's will entered into possession of her share of his great fortune, estimated at from twelve to fifteen million dollars.

Even the gossip-mongers concede that in her marriage to this comparatively obscure young Hungarian this American heiress made purely a love match. Count Laszlo is a handsome man of twenty-eight, slender and straight, his bearing betraying his military training and devotion to outdoor sports. He is not even the head of his family, being the youngest of the four sons of Count Emerich Szczecny, who was for many years the Austro-Hungarian ambassador at



THE COUNT AND THE NEW YORK HOME OF THE BRIDE.

Berlin, and who played an important part in the negotiation of the German-Austrian alliance and was one of the limited circle of diplomats who enjoyed the close friendship of Bismarck. The present head of the house of Szczecny, one of the oldest and proudest of the Hungarian nobility, is Count Dionys, who until very recently was first secretary of the Austro-Hungarian embassy at Berlin.

Count Laszlo is said to have an income of some \$60,000 a year and owns both town and country estates. There has been much talk of a money settlement made upon the count, but close friends of the family aver that, unlike nearly all of the recent international marriages, there was in this case no money settlement of any kind. The Countess Szczecny retains her great fortune and has told her friends that their joint means will be used in common in the American manner. Count Laszlo's brothers and friends indignantly denied the reports of a money settlement when they arrived here a few days ago, and declared that no financial considerations of any character were involved in the marriage.

The marriage ceremony was performed by Monsignor Lavelle, rector of St. Patrick's cathedral. The wedding gifts are said to exceed a million dollars in value and have been guarded day and night by detectives. Special police arrangements were made to handle the curious throngs which gathered today about the Vanderbilt home.

The young couple left this afternoon for Newport, where Mrs. Vanderbilt's home, "The Breakers," has been prepared for them. There they will remain until Feb. 4, when they sail for Europe.

Kalamazoo Jewelry Robbery. Kalamazoo, Mich., Jan. 27.—During last night burglars entered the jewelry store of E. H. Darcy and took goods valued at \$10,000, including diamonds, watches and the better grades of jewelry.

## PERSISTENT RUMORS

Proved the Undoing of the National Bank of North America.

New York, Jan. 27.—Comptroller of the Currency William B. Ridgeley has ordered the National Bank of North America closed for liquidation and appointed Charles Hanna, national bank examiner, as receiver.

The aftermath of the financial storm of last October in its effect on the bank which today closed its doors has been in the shape of heavy and persistent withdrawals, the result, according to President W. F. Havemeyer, of insistent rumors set afloat respecting the bank's condition. Membership in the clearing house association enabled the bank to weather the gale for a time, but the aid extended by this association in the form of loan certificates finally became the means of bringing about the decision to go into liquidation, when the call for their redemption was intimated to the directors on Saturday last. The bank's indebtedness to the clearing house association is \$2,200,000.

President Havemeyer said that he believed the bank is entirely solvent and that with a careful liquidation the stockholders will receive par for their stock.

## IMPORTANT CONFERENCE

The President and Railroad Men Get Together.

Washington, Jan. 27.—In pursuance of an appointment made early in the month, President Roosevelt is today having a conference with a committee of the operating vice presidents of leading railroads. The object of the conference is to bring to the attention of the president matters which the railroad men regard as materially affecting adversely railway operations in the country, and it is understood that among the subjects to be discussed will be that of legalizing pooling agreements, a matter of which the president has heretofore expressed himself as favorable to an amendment of the existing law to permit such agreements under proper supervision of the interstate commerce committee.

Mysterious Secrecy Observed.

Boston, Jan. 27.—Guarded with the utmost secrecy, Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, founder and head of the Christian Science church, was removed by special train Sunday with all her household attendants, from Pleasant View in Concord, N. H., where she has lived for nineteen years, to a new house in the fashionable Chestnut Hill section of Brookline. The coming was unheralded and only a few of the leaders of the Christian Science church had been aware of the contemplated change.

Held Up Mail Wagon.

New Orleans, January 27.—Daring thieves last night held up and robbed a United States mail wagon loaded with incoming mail, which had just arrived from Cincinnati and other northern points over the Queen and Crescent route. The thieves were reported to have secured about \$5,000, but the postoffice authorities refused to make any statement about the amount of the robbery.

Phone H. A. Kramer for a tender piece of meat. Phone 1569.

## HOW IS YOUR PIANO.

If it needs any attention send me word at the Scanlan House. I will be in Rushville this week.

Frid W. Porterfield.

Jan. 21st

## CAMP MEETING ORGAN

World's Most Powerful Instrument For Ocean Grove.

## HOPE-JONES TO BUILD IT.

Will Be Installed In June and Will Cost \$26,000—New Devices to Be Used In It—Its Action Will Be Controlled Entirely by Electricity.

When camp meeting time comes at Ocean Grove, N. J., next summer the most powerful organ in the world will greet the worshippers in the big auditorium and accompany the congregations in the hymns, says the New York Times. The Ocean Grove association at a recent meeting closed a contract for an instrument to cost \$26,000 and weigh about twenty tons.

Robert Hope-Jones, who built the famous organ in the Worcester cathedral in England, will supervise the construction of the instrument and has promised to have it installed by June.

Mr. Hope-Jones now lives in Elmira, N. Y. He installed one of his instruments in St. Patrick's cathedral, in New York city, two years ago, and one of his organs is to be installed in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, in New York. The contract was awarded to him after a committee of the Ocean Grove association had consulted some of the foremost organists in the United States.

The Ocean Grove instrument will be the most powerful in the world," said Mr. Hope-Jones the other night. "It will not be the largest, because with improvements of recent years not so much space will be needed. It will have some devices which have never before been used. One of the most interesting of these will be an electric system which will preserve the proper tone of the instrument, no matter what the weather may be. This device will be of the greatest importance in the Ocean Grove Auditorium, because it is so near the water. The various pipes and resonators will be wound with wires, which will be coupled with an electrical device which automatically will keep them at the proper temperature.

The organ itself will be of remarkable construction. The large organs heretofore have been divided into departments—great, swell, choir, pedal and solo—but this one will be a unit with a few rows of keys. By the use of a set of stop keys, which are connected electrically with all the various sound producing devices, any of these may be drawn on any set of keys instantly at any pitch and any power.

"The various tone families will be grouped together, and each family will be inclosed in a separate box constructed of brickwork. Each of these boxes will be sealed with heavy laminated lead shutters, and the organist will have the power of opening or closing these shutters, as desired. By this means he will be able to graduate the strength of his diapasons, flutes and trumpets exactly as desired.

"For instance, the great tuba mirabilis will be voiced on fifty inches of wind and will in itself exceed in power the whole of any organ hitherto built. Because it will be inclosed in brickwork and so arranged otherwise its tone may be allowed free scope or may be reduced to a mere whisper that will not overpower a single solo voice.

"The action of the organ will be controlled entirely by electricity. All of the electric contacts will be made between pure gold and pure platinum.

BEER DRINKERS and others who suffer with Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Back Ache, or any Kidney or Bladder Troubles can be cured if they will take BLOODINE BLOOD AND KIDNEY TABLETS, soc a box, mailed by The Bloodine Corporation, Boston, Mass.

It will be "worth your while" to see DURNO and Company at the Grand Theatre, Monday, Jan. 27th.

Novel Use For the Lawn.

Midwinter lawn parties may acquire a vogue up Long Island sound if the efforts of one Larchmont woman be successful, says the New York Press. This woman, animated by fervent belief in the fresh air idea, thinks there's no reason why her lawn shouldn't be enjoyed in winter as well as in summer. So without having the snow cleared off her flower beds she will have the walks kept open, and the first time the flakes fly in earnest she purposed bidding dozens of friends to her home for an afternoon in the open. There will be fancy skating on the largest stretch of lawn, which is to be flooded for the purpose, with a miniature toboggan slide at the opposite side of the grounds. Tea, punch, and other refreshments will be served on small tables, with chairs and foot warmers for the comfort of the less athletic. Snowball fights, the making of snowmen and other winter sports and diversions are on the programme. It's more than possible society will welcome the innovation, if only for its novelty.

Teaching Children by Dolls.

Klndergarten methods of educating young children have always been a pronounced success, says Leslie's Weekly. Recently a new phase of the system was invented and put into effect by a Belgian lady, Mme. Pecher. She teaches young children by dolls, representing personages and scenes in European history, arranged in order of time, from the earliest dates. The plan works excellently, the children in this way acquiring historical knowledge with ease.

These metals, which will cost hundreds of dollars, have been found to be more reliable than any others.

"The pressures of wind used will vary from ten inches up to fifty inches of water. In spite of this, the instrument will be much more refined and musical in effect than the large organs usually met with because of various new devices. One of these will be the diaphone, which was tried at St. Patrick's cathedral. In it the vibration which produces the tone is accomplished with an aluminium piston vibrated in a cylinder. Its vibrations in the higher tones reach up to 4,000 a second. It will be employed for the first time in America. It is in use in some of the organs I have built on the other side."

Tali Esen Morgan, organist of the Ocean Grove Auditorium, is arranging a series of daily organ recitals to be given during the summer. The leading organists of America and of Europe will be invited to play on the new instrument.

## Tobacco Chewing Hen.

Ex-Mayor Miller of Youngstown, O., claims he has a hen which chews tobacco, says the Pittsburgh Dispatch. He says she enjoys it and will accept any brand, although she is particularly fond of fine cut. She will not sit unless provided with a little of the weed. She also will chew gum. The hen takes it into her mouth and allows it to lie on her tongue until it is soft and then works her jaws like the typical Bowery girl.

## Head Bumps as Storm Signals.

Dr. E. H. Welch of Winsted, Conn., is said to be able to predict changes in the weather twenty-four hours before they come by bumps that arise on his head, says the New York Evening World. One bump means rain, two snow and three a windstorm. The bumps are nearly as large as door knobs, the doctor says. He thinks an attack of rheumatism he had one time made his head sensitive to atmospheric changes.

## NEW TELEGRAPH COMPANY HAS STRONG ORGANIZATION.

Adopts Plan to Prevent Merger With Old Wire Companies.

With an authorized capital of \$18,000,000 and control of the most highly perfected system of rapid automatic telegraphy, enabling it to make rates far lower than those of the old companies, the new telegraph company known as the Telepost starts its career with every prospect of success.

There is no danger that this company will suffer the fate of so many of its predecessors and pass into the control of rival interests. By a trusteeship agreement absolute power has been given to each member of a board of five trustees to veto any attempt by outsiders to merge, absorb, reorganize or control the company.

The Telepost board is as follows: Captain W. J. Barnette, general board, navy department; A. K. Brown, president Kenwood Trust and Savings bank, Chicago; Thomas Conyngton of Conyngton & Harrison; H. D. Critchfield, president Milwaukee Independent Telephone company; R. H. Sellers, secretary and treasurer Telepost company; H. Lee Sellers, president Telepost company, and C. H. Silliman, banker, New York.

In conjunction, therefore, with his belief in the obligation to build ships he holds that it is the duty of the country to fortify thoroughly every seaport under the American flag and make it impregnable. War comes suddenly, he says, and from the most peaceful outlook it may develop before it is possible to make preparations or even build a battleship, much less a navy.

As he views the general outlook for the United States there is no nation with which we are in any prospect of having war. But that does not impair the obligation of the country to make ready for the unforeseen emergency. President McKinley strove to his utmost to prevent war with Spain, but in spite of him it came and in less time from the moment when it was first suggested than it takes to construct even one of the smallest naval vessels.

Although Justice Harlan believes that the time is coming when there will be a gigantic contest for supremacy between the white and yellow races, he does not apprehend that the struggle is at all imminent. When it does come, he wants the United States to be thoroughly ready, and one of the first elements of preparation, in his opinion, is the creation and maintenance of a great two ocean navy.

FOUND—Untrimmed black velvet and white silk hat. Can be had for paying for this ad. Apply at this office. Jan. 13-6td

FOR RENT—Nice furnished room for married couple. Good location. Use of bath, 407 North Perkins. Jan. 14-6td

FOR SALE—Four women's jackets, cheap. Call at Frank Windeler's over Muino & Guflin. Jan. 16-6td

FOR SALE—Seven room house, two large lots. Property in good condition. Located in Glenwood. For particulars inquire of W. L. Hall R. F. D. Rushville Ind. 204-6td

FOR SALE—A pair of three-year-old draft geldings, well broken also some work horses. T. A. Orlman. Phone 3125. Jan. 16-6td

NURSE.—Mrs. Nannie H. Ross, can be engaged in nursing. Call at 332 West First or Phone 3328. Jan. 16-6td

FOR RENT—Barred Rock Cockerels. James Hardwick. Rushville R. R. 4. 21d4w

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FOR SALE—1 1/2 Acres, new 6 room house, cellar, pantry, tubular well, fine for poultry. Address C. H. care Republican office. 27d6t

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TO LET—Nice warm clean rooms. 335 North Morgan St. octe5tf

FOR RENT—Hall, piano, gas and water furnished. Enquire at Rushville Steam Laundry. Dec. 9tf

TO LET—Furnished rooms. Mrs. Kate Banta, 222 West Fifth Street, sepi1tf

COCKERELS FOR SALE—Barred

## BIG TWO OCEAN NAVY

Best Method of Avoiding War, Claims Justice Harlan.

## DOES NOT EXPECT ONE SOON.

But It May Come Unexpectedly, Believes Supreme Court Jurist, if Nation Is Not Prepared—Thinks All Our Seaports Should Be Made Strong

Justice John Marshall Harlan's talk at the recent Navy league dinner in Washington, when he prophesied a war some time between the white and yellow races which would "shake the earth" and at the same time entered a vigorous plea for immediate and substantial increase of the navy, has aroused the widest interest in Washington, says a special dispatch to the New York Times.

It has not been possible to obtain a full stenographic report of what Justice Harlan said, and he declines to be quoted in further explanation of his views. It is possible, however, to give in substance an outline of some of the views of the justice.

He believes it to be of paramount importance to make immediate and extensive preparation for war, not because he apprehends the occurrence of war with any nation, but because he believes that in the most efficient preparation for it lies the best method of avoiding it.

This thorough preparation, in his opinion, involves the creation of a great two ocean navy, and if he had his way he would, as he said at the Navy league dinner, vote \$50,000,000 a year for ten years for the construction of battleships and the general equipment of the navy. In his view it is not only necessary to increase materially the number of fighting ships, but to see that from year to year others are constructed to take the places of those which are outgrown in point of fighting ability by the advance in naval construction.

He believes that a nation which is weak in martial spirit or which has not a strong navy is in danger of being forced into war when it is not desired and when the nation is least able to meet such an emergency. The American people are not for conquest, he says, and do not want war. There is no territory that they desire, and the probable fact is that they have more now than they desire. They would have rejected emphatically the Philippines as a gift; but, having assumed the responsibility for them as an act of war, they are bound to live up to that responsibility and discharge the duty it imposes on them by affording the islands the fullest protection.

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## Local Brevities

G. P. Hunt is quite ill.

W. A. Smith continues to improve.

Mrs. John Wallace continues to improve.

Mrs. Norah Scanlan, of South Main street, is quite sick.

J. W. Mock, who has been quite ill is much improved.

Miss Nelle Frame, who was suffering from the grip, is improving.

Mrs. D. H. Dean, of North Harrison street, has a severe attack of grip.

Mrs. Selman Webb continues ill at her home in West Third street.

William Martin and family have moved from Sexton to North Harrison street.

Mrs. John Eckles, of North Sexton street, who has been quite ill, is improving.

William F. Gordon, of North Morgan street, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mrs. Will Bliss is suffering with an attack of grip at her home in North Perkins street.

Miss Frances, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Frazer, of North Main street, is afflicted with a severe cold.

Don't miss DURNO at the Grand Theatre Monday, Jan. 27th

William Emsweller was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Osborn, of West Fourth street Sunday evening.

Ralph Edgerton and Bert Kennedy played in the orchestra at the Auditorium at Connersville Saturday night.

George Hoard, of West Fourth street, who has been suffering with the grip, is again able to be out.

The latest word from Mrs. Ora Logan, who underwent an operation at Indianapolis, is to the effect that she is much better.

H. W. Harrison, of New Castle, has accepted a position at the Windsor hotel barber shop. Mr. Harrison is a musician of some note and will probably be added to the Rushville Concert band.

The series of revival meetings at St. Paul's M. E. church closed Sunday evening with a large audience considering the bad night. These meetings have been very successful in the past three weeks.

Hiram Wertz, of south of Rushville, is announced as a candidate for sheriff. Mr. Wertz is an old esteemed citizen of this county and a staunch Republican, and will enter the race with a view to win.

H. A. Kramer slaughters Rush county's best cattle and hogs. Phon 1509.

Mrs. Guy Abercrombie has an attack of grip.

Be sure and have your letter in on the ad contest by Tuesday (tomorrow) evening.

The Patriotic Order Sons of America will have business of importance at their meeting tonight and all officers and members are urged to be present.

The Second M. E. church will continue to hold their revival meetings indefinitely. They are meeting with success and much interest is being manifested. Rev. Carroll, of Shelbyville, is assisting the pastor, Rev. T. Carpenter.

Fred A. Capp is being earnestly solicited by his many friends to make the race for representative from this county. If he consents to run he would make a strong race on account of his wide acquaintance throughout Rush county.

The Knights of Pythias lodge will have work in the Second rank to-night, and the order will hold a business meeting to discuss the plans for the new K. of P. building. An architect will be present and it is expected that some plan will be adopted.

In today's issue of the Daily Republican appears the authorized announcement of T. E. Gregg for township trustee. A few days ago, we stated that Mr. Gregg was candidate for township assessor. It was our mistake—and his treat.

The funeral services of Mrs. Arthur J. Gates who died at her home in West Second street, Saturday morning, were held this morning at the late residence at 10 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. J. F. Cowling, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, and were largely attended by her many friends and relatives.

The revival services at the United Presbyterian church closed Sunday evening, after two weeks' of successful meetings. Rev. W. H. Clark, the pastor, has made a good impression upon this community as an earnest and eloquent preacher. The meetings closed with an inspiring sermon on "Lost."

The Missionary Baptists, who have organized a church in this city, closed a successful series of meetings Sunday evening. The members of the newly organized church will meet tonight and hold a business meeting. Arrangements will be made to employ a regular pastor in the near future.

The hit of the season, DURNO the Mysterious, Grand Theatre Monday Jan. 27th.

Mrs. William Posey, living west of this city, has a slight attack of grip.

George, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. John Osborn, of West Fifth street, has the mumps.

Word has been received from Rev. R. W. Abberley, pastor of the Main Street Christian church, that the meetings will close at Vincennes this week and he will return home about the middle of the week.

All Redmen are requested to be present at the council fire Tuesday night, January 28th. Business of importance is to be transacted and the Adoption degree will be conferred on one pale-face.

The fast pacing mare, Miss Patchen, recently sold to the millionaire, Geo. D. Sherman, of Port Henry, N. Y., for a long price, was bred by Theodore Abercrombie and sold to Dick Wilson, when a weanling. Miss Patchen is a full sister to Legal Patch, 4631, the colt owned by Mr. Abercrombie that paced an eighth in 17 seconds last June as a yearling.

Hon. Elmer J. Binford, of Greenfield, today authorizes his announcement as a candidate for Joint-Senator from Rush, Fayette and Hancock counties. Mr. Binford is a prominent attorney of Greenfield, and one of the leading Republican figures in Indiana. Hon. E. E. Moore, the retiring Joint-Senator, is a candidate for Congress.

The highclass Lyceum attraction DURNO, and Company Grand Theatre Monday, Jan. 27th.

## One More Week

of our January Clearance Sale Prices. Greatest Bargains this week will prevail on Ladies', Misses' and Children's Cloaks. High Class Goods at less prices than common goods. Improve your opportunity and secure for yourself and daughter a "Wooltex" Coat in Velour, Caracul and Fine Broadcloth at

### 1-2 to 1-3 off of Early Prices

The coldest weather (for next 60 days) to wear winter Cloaks and Furs.

### Clearance Sale Prices on

Blankets, Comforts, Knit Goods and Underwear. Now prices on Calico, Muslin, Ginghams and Spool Cotton Thread. Just received this week our new Embroideries and Laces. We are sole agents for Zion City Laces. See our new styles.

### Basement Bargain For the Week

5 rolls Monte Christo Toilet Paper for 25c.

## MAUZY & DENNING

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## THIS WEEK

Your Choice of Any Winter Suit or Overcoat in Stock Only

# \$11.98

Other Big Bargains in Suits and Overcoats at \$3.48, \$4.98, \$7.48 and \$8.98

The Last Week of the 20 days of Advertising

## KNECHT CLOTHING CO. O.P.C.H.

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If you are not satisfied and do not think that Raymond Cough Syrup is one of the best cough syrups that you ever used we gladly refund your money.

### Raymond Cough Syrup

25c BOTTLES 50c

The ONLY STORE Offering EVERYTHING to Furnish the Home Complete.

Remember This is the Best Week. Take Advantage of This Sale, it Means a Big Saving to You. Buy Your Spring Wants This Week.

### Our Great January Sale Ends With the Ending of This Week.

Buy Now. Sweeping reduction all over the Store, Save on anything you need.

#### Lace Curtains

All new spring goods have arrived all in this sale this week at 20 per cent off all lots less than two pairs at 33 1/4 per cent off.

Nets and Laces by the Yard MADRAS in all the Latest Effects a 25c Value, This Week Only 12 1/2c per yard.

All Laces by the yard 33 1/4 per cent off

#### Heavy Draperies

An entire new line at 20 per cent off

#### Couch Covers

Full size in nice oriental design while they last at \$1.49 others at 20 per cent off.

#### Lineoleum

Have a great many short lengths in six ft. widths up to six yards at 25 per cent off this makes them less than cost big discount on balance.

#### Straw Mattings

Just received this past week a lot of new goods at 10 per cent off.

This sale does not interfere with our credit system. We extend, as well as usual, credit to all who desire it on our regular terms.

### \$12.50 Brussels Rugs \$9.98

During this week

Almost 100 different styles and qualities of rugs all but a very few are 1908 styles and they all go none reserved.  
\$23.50 Axminster Rugs 6x12.....\$19.35  
25.00 Axminster Rugs 9x12.....\$21.15  
40.00 Royal Wilton Rugs 9x12.....\$35.00  
20.00 in Tapestry Rugs 9x12.....\$16.20  
16.50 Tapestry Rugs 9x12.....\$13.50  
Just received a new lot all new patterns  
27x60 Axminster Rugs.....\$2.00  
36x72 Axminster Rugs.....\$3.38

#### Carpets

1.35 Royal Axminster sale price.....\$1.15 yd  
1.35 Wilton Velvets sale price.....\$1.15  
We have selected six patterns of Velvets from the \$1.35 value as long as they last this week LESS THAN COST at 95 cents per yard. All above made laid and lined free this week.  
80 cent Ingrain best all wool at.....\$6.80 yd  
70 cent Ingrain all wool.....\$5.00 yd  
60 cent Ingrain 1/2 wool carpet at.....\$3.30 yd  
35 cent extra heavy Ingrain at.....\$2.50 yd

#### Complete Outfits

If you are in need of a complete outfit now or will be in need of one in the near future, don't fail to take advantage of this sale. Stored free till you want them delivered.

The ONLY STORE Offering EVERYTHING to Furnish the Home Complete.

Our Great Offer. Buy Now, Secure Bargains, Make Small Cash Payment, Nothing More to Pay Till Delivered Anytime Before May 1st.

#### Pay Only Part

We deliver later. We have a great many purchases "laid away" you should not delay taking advantage of this SALE.

#### Odd Upholstered Parlor Chairs And Three Piece Suits

in loose cushion, spring, and wood seats at 20 per cent discount this week.

#### Library Tables and Parlor Stands

from 20 per cent to 50 per cent off

#### Rockers

See the Show Window a big lot less than 1-2 their original value all others from 20 per cent to 33 1/3 per cent.

#### Brass Beds

\$75.00 value for \$50. \$40. value for \$32.00  
65.00 value for 40. 22. value for 17.50  
Balance of the line from \$4.50 upwards at 20 per cent off.

#### Couches and Bed Davenports

from 20 to 50 per cent off in any color or upholstering a rare chance.

#### Steel Ranges and Cook Stoves

a guaranteed saving from \$2.50 to \$10.00

#### Heating Stoves

at cost and below cost. 1 \$35. Hard Coal Base Burner \$25.

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